

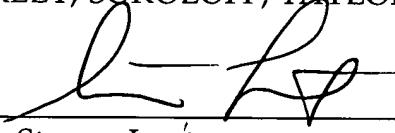
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results from the snapshot instruction can be shifted by the shift instruction after a third period of time.--

### REMARKS

The above amendments are corrections to typographical and inadvertent errors relating to existing matter. All other amendments can be deduced from the submitted drawings and/or description. Also, modifications to the background section are not new matter as the background section relates to existing prior art. Therefore, the above amendments do not consist of new matter. Entry of the foregoing amendments prior to the initial examination of the above-captioned continued prosecution application is respectfully requested.

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